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SUBJECT: UNDP PLEDGING CONFERENCE.

1. AT UNDP PLEDGING CONFERENCE NOVEMBER 5, US REP SHOULD STATE FOLLOWING: AS CONGRESSIONAL ACTION ON US VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS TO UN PROGRAMS FOR 1975 HAS NOT BEEN COMPLETED, THE US GOVERNMENT IS UNABLE TO MAKE A SPECIFIC PLEDGE TO THE UNDP AT THE PRESENT TIME. THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH HAS REQUESTED CONGRESS TO PROVIDE SUFFICIENT FUNDING TO PERMIT A CONTRIBUTION TO THE UNDP OF 100 MILLION DOLS IN 1975, AND IT IS OUR HOPE THAT CONGRESS WILL MEET THIS REQUEST. WE SHALL INFORM THE SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE AMOUNT OF OUR PLEDGE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

2. WITH REGARD TO UN REVOLVING FUND FOR NATURAL RESOURCES EXPLORATION, US DEL SHOULD STATE: THE US HAS EMPHASIZED IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND OTHER UN FORA THE IMPORTANCE OF SOLVING THE PROBLEM OF SCARCITIES OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE IMPORTANCE OF NATURAL RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT TO THE OVERALL DEVELOPMENT OF THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. FOR THIS UNCLASSIFIED

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REASON WE ARE PLEASED THAT THE UN FUND FOR NATURAL RESOURCES

EXPLORATION HAS BEEN CLOSELY TIED IN WITH THE UNDP. WHILE THE US GOVERNMENT DOES NOT PLAN TO MAKE A SPECIAL CONTRIBUTION TO THE FUND, WE SHALL WATCH ITS DEVELOPMENT WITH GREAT INTEREST.

3. WITH REGARD TO UN CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT FUND, US REP SHOULD STATE: THE US WILL MAKE NO PLEDGE TO THE UN CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT FUND.

4. US REP SHOULD REITERATE US SUPPORT FOR UNDP AS A VITAL AND EFFECTIVE INSTRUMENT FOR ASSISTING DEVELOPING COUNTRIES AND SHOULD COMMEND ADMINISTRATOR AND STAFF FOR THEIR CONTINUING EFFORTS TO MAKE PROGRAM EVER MORE EFFECTIVE. US REP SHOULD STATE THAT US IS ALWAYS READY TO PARTICIPATE FULLY IN THE PROGRAM. THIS PARTICIPATION MAY TAKE MANY FORMS, INCLUDING NOT ONLY OUR CONTRIBUTION BUT ALSO HIGHLY QUALIFIED PERSONNEL, SUCH AS THOSE NOW BEING PROVIDED THROUGH OUR SPECIAL SUPPORT PROGRAM FOR LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES. INGERSOLL

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